TOKEN

Unique ID: SUSS-25A726

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A cast lead token. The token is flat and circular, but the obverse design is extremely irregular. The edges of the token have been rolled (seen on the reverse). The obverse of the token depicts two large irregular lines, set parallel to each other. A small high relief line is set parallel to these two (approximately 3mm away from the pair). Running below all three lines is a low relief line which forms a basic cross-hatched pattern. The reverse is blank. The lead has gone a dark silvery-grey colour. Due to a lack of excavated examples these tokens can only be loosely dated from between circa 1250 – 1850 AD.

Subsequent actions

Current location of find: Returned to landowner - for local display Subsequent action after recording: Returned to Landowner

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Subperiod from: Middle Period from: MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Late

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1250 Date to: Circa AD 1850

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 4.49 mm

Weight: 7.8 g

Diameter: 18.9 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Thursday 1st January 2004

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Manufacture method: Cast

Spatial metadata

Region: South East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: East Sussex (County)

District: Wealden (District)

To be known as: East Dean and Friston

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: Centred on village (which isn't a parish) Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Current location: Returned to landowner - for local display

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined